

SENATE BILL 1910
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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, to authorize the issuance of new specialty earmarked license plates to promote breast cancer awareness.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-202(c)(7), is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

(_) "Driving To A Cure" (Pink Ribbon);

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated section:

Section 55-4-2__.

(a) Owners or lessees of motor vehicles who are of Tennessee, upon complying with state motor vehicle laws relating to registration and licensing of motor vehicles and paying the regular fee applicable to the motor vehicle and the fee provided for in § 55-4-203, shall be issued a "Driving To A Cure" new specialty earmarked license plate for a motor vehicle authorized by § 55-4-210(c).

(b) The new specialty earmarked license plates provided for in this section shall include the phrase "Driving To A Cure" in an appropriate design. Such plates shall also include a pictorial representation of the universally recognized symbol for breast cancer awareness, the pink ribbon. Such plates shall be designed in consultation with Busom Buddies of Clarksville, Tennessee.

(c) The funds produced from the sale of such new specialty earmarked license plates shall be allocated to The Minnie Pearl Foundation in accordance with the provisions of § 55-4-215. Such funds shall be used exclusively to fund breast cancer research.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2003, the public welfare requiring it.